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Will is a washing-up fairy, but he isn't very good at it. He breaks a teapot! What can he do to apologise?

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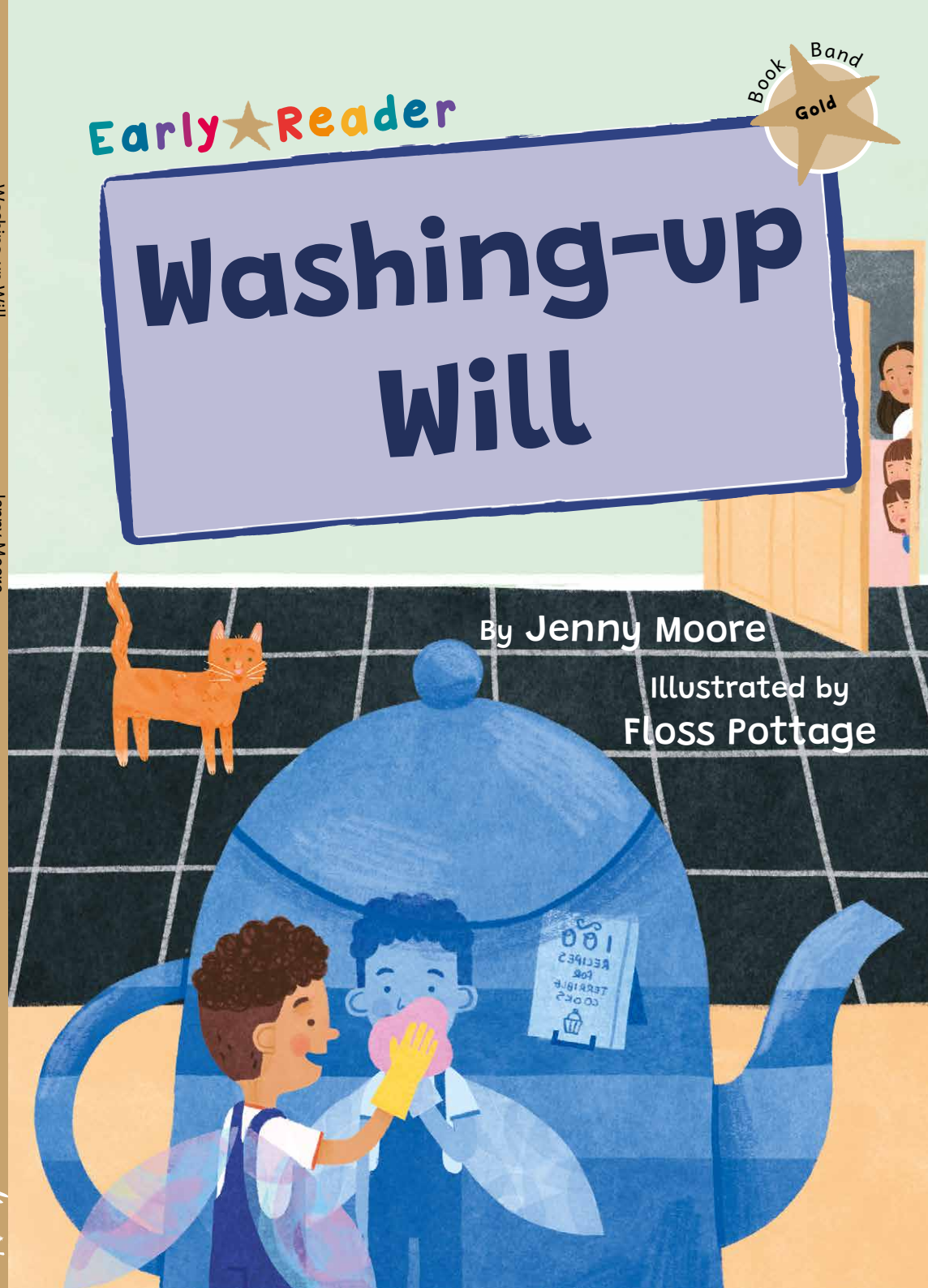
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Chapter 1

Will the washing-up fairy had been looking forward to watching 'Baking Magic' all day. But as soon as he turned on the television, his phone rang.

Tring tring! Tring tring!



"Oh bother," grumbled Will. "I hope it's a wrong number." But it wasn't. It was his bossy boss, Mrs Sparkle, ringing with a job for him.

"I'm sending you to help the Beck family," said Mrs Sparkle. "Their dirty dishes are getting out of control."

"Okay," Will agreed. "Can I finish watching my baking show first? They're making biscuits and fairy cakes tonight."



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Mrs Sparkle snorted. “Baking shows? Fairy cakes? Ridiculous! You’re a washing-up fairy, not a cooking fairy. Off you go now. The Becks have just gone to bed, so be quiet. We don’t want them seeing you. And no dropping the dishes this time, or there’ll be trouble.”

Will switched off the television with a sigh.

Not more washing-up! What if the soapy suds made his fingers slippery again?
What if he smashed another cup?
What if he cracked another plate?
Why couldn’t he be a cooking fairy instead?

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Chapter 2

The Beck family lived in a big pink house at the end of a long road. Will could hear loud snoring coming from upstairs as he flew in through the cat flap.

The kitchen was in a terrible mess. Will had never seen so many dirty dishes. There were dirty knives and forks sitting on dirty plates. There were dirty spoons resting in dirty bowls.

There were splashes of tomato sauce on the walls and lumps of macaroni cheese stuck to the floor. There were even spots of chocolate icing on the teapot.



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